

RESOLUTION NO. 22-PT-13
PRESENTED TO THE BOARD – 5/12/22

TO: THE PORT AUTHORITY COMMISSION AND
NEAL RICHARDSON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

FROM: SUSAN TAYLOR, PORT DIRECTOR

RE: RESOLUTION REQUESTING AUTHORIZATION TO RECOMMEND THAT
THE CITY'S STREET DEPARTMENT AWARD PERMITS TO CRUISEBOATS
FOR MOORING AT THE GATEWAY ARCH IN 2022

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

The Street Department issues mooring permits for vessels along the central riverfront and accepts requests for such permits from the Port Authority. Three cruiselines have planned 34 visits by their boats this summer to the Gateway Arch. The Port Authority is requesting authorization of the Port Commission to recommend approval to the Street Department to issue the necessary permits.

BACKGROUND:

Three cruiselines have scheduled stops at the Gateway Arch this summer: American Cruise Lines, American Queen Voyages, and Viking River Cruises. From mid-June to early November, eight boats will tie up in front of the Arch on 34 different occasions (see Calendar shown in Exhibit A).

The Street Department will issue mooring permits that have various marine and public safety requirements. The cost for each permit, payable to the Port Authority, comprises \$1.00 per passenger as set by the authorized vessel maximums. This year the allotted passenger limits add up to 8,769 guests.

The Authority recommends approval of the requests from American Cruise Lines, American Queen Voyages, and Viking River Cruises for the 2022 permits for operation of their vessels along the Arch levee. If so authorized, the Authority will recommend approval of the three cruiseline requests to the Street Department subject to certain maritime and public safety conditions as shown in Exhibit B.

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REQUESTED ACTION:

Request approval of Resolution No. 22-PT-13 by the Port Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE PORT AUTHORITY, THAT:

1. The Port Commission authorizes a request by the Port Authority to the Street Department for approval of 2022 mooring permits for American Cruise Lines, American Queen Voyages, and Viking River Cruises boats along the Gateway Arch levee as shown on their attached schedules and subject to the Permit Conditions as shown in Exhibit B.
2. The Executive Director his designee, legal counsel, and the appropriate officers, agents and employees of the Port Authority are authorized to take all steps necessary and to execute all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.
3. This Resolution shall take effect and be in full force immediately after its passage and approval by the governing body of the Authority.

ADOPTED this 12th day of May, 2022.

THE PORT AUTHORITY OF THE
CITY OF ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

By: _____

Title: _____

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Assistant Secretary

RES. 22-PT-13 EXHIBIT A							
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Apr 2022	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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May 2022	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	29	30	31	1	2	3	4
Jun 2022	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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	26	27	28	29	30	1	2
Jul 2022	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

AD: 0400-1800
812.697.6222

AM: 2030 (in)
203,645.8625

AM: 0600 (out)

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Aug 2022	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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AC = American Countess (166 pax), AD = American Duchess (166 pax), AH = American Heritage (150 pax), AM = American Melody (175 pax), AQ = American Queen (436 pax), ASp = American Splendor (183 pax), ASy = American Symphony (175 pax), V = Viking (386 pax)

AQV CSO: Jethro Beck, 206.295.6090 and ACL CSO: Scott Bauby, 203.824.1591 and V CSO: Trent Daigle, 985.637.2774

July 4: city Fourth of July celebration will prevent cruiseboat mooring July 1-5.

Sept 19: AQ will dock on the higher end of Arch South, closest to Gateway Riverboats, AC will be just below her.

Oct 4: AH will dock at _____; AC will dock at _____.

Oct 22: ASy will land at Arch South, uppermost end toward the Arch October 21st. Upon arrival October 22nd Viking will land at Arch South below ASy.

ST. LOUIS PORT AUTHORITY POC AND ISR: Roland Comfort, 314.283.4196

RES. 22-PT-13, EXH. B

**PERMIT CONDITIONS FOR TEMPORARY MOORING ON THE RIVERFRONT
SAFETY RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Permittee shall be responsible for ensuring that its employees, contractors, passengers, and invitees comply with applicable laws and obey any written safety rules provided by City of St. Louis, the Department of Streets, the Board of Public Service, or the Port Authority, including, but not limited to, those below:

1. Permittee's vessels shall be operated in accordance with the rules and regulation governing the use of the river.
2. Permittee shall comply with all applicable City of St. Louis Ordinances.
3. Permittee shall follow all orders from on-duty City of St. Louis Police Officers.
4. Permittee shall not intentionally interfere with other operations or create any danger or safety hazard at the Facility.
5. The Arch Landing South and Arch Landing North are designated Public Access Facilities under United States Coast Guard regulations. Permittee shall comply with all security measures required by the United States Coast Guard.
6. Permittee shall comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act and all applicable regulations
7. Permittee shall contact the Port Authority's Individual with Security Responsibility (ISR) not less than 48 hours prior to landing to coordinate arrival. The Port Authority's ISR may be reached at

Roland Comfort, Port Authority Project Manager

(314) 283-4196

8. Permittee's vessels shall request a security sweep prior to landing. To request a security sweep, Permittee's vessels should contact:

St. Louis Police District 4 dispatch – (314) 444-2533, or
Edward Benoist, District 4 Commander – (314) 444-2500

Permittee shall relay the results of the security sweep results to the ISR.

9. Permittees shall ensure all stages:

- a. Are properly barricaded with flashers during all hours of darkness.
 - b. Do not impede entrances to buildings, fire lanes, or other vehicle and pedestrian access ways.
 - c. Are secured for landing so as to provide a safe and accessible means of ingress and egress to and from the vessel.
 - d. Are appropriately staffed by Permittee at all relevant times.
10. Permittees shall ensure access is open to all fire plugs or other utilities.
11. Except for cooling water there shall be no discharge of waste into the river. All toilet waste shall be disposed by professional contract at Permittees' cost.
12. The Arch Landing South and Arch Landing North shall be kept in a neat and orderly fashion and free of litter by Permittees or their agents, contractors, employees, invitees or licensees. All litter, trash, etc., is to be removed immediately or deposited in a dumpster box or boxes as may be required.